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THE BULLOCH HERALD

Dedicated to the Progress of Statesboro and
Bulloch County
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This Week's Sentence Sermon

Christianity without the cross is nothing. The cross was the fitting close of a life of rejection, scorn and defeat. But in no true sense have those things ceased or changed. Jesus is still He whom man despised, and the rejected of men. The world has never admired Jesus, for moral courage is yet needed in every one of its high places by him who would "confess" Christ. The "offense" of the cross, therefore, has led men in all ages to endeavor to be rid of it, and to deny that it is the power of God in the world.—William H. Thomsen.

The people of Statesboro and Bulloch County are to be commended upon their patience with the power companies, telephone and telegraph companies during the period following the storm last week in which they worked continuously under adverse circumstances to restore services to their patrons.

The old timers are recalling the time in 1925 when the Ogeechee River went on a rampage and the water rose to that level driven about five feet above the ground on that building in Dover near the depot. Sunday night the water was over the bridge and still rising.

The Statesboro Tobacco Market maintained its position as one of the best markets in the state the first two days of the market by selling the tobacco of her friends at an average price higher than the state average. Credit goes to the warehousemen, buyers, growers, and the promoters of the market here.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce, in endorsing the Bulloch County Hospital Service Association, is performing a real service to the community in which it operates. If it adopts it as one of its civic projects, as is expected when the action of the board of directors is ratified, then the Jaycees will have the opportunity of doing a great work here in Statesboro and Bulloch County.

In just a short time schools will be "taking in." Will the opening day find your child ready for school? Have they been to the doctor, the dentist, the oculist? If your child has been complaining during the summer months have him or her checked over. "An ounce of prevention . . ." you know.

Talk about your safety deposit box at the bank—there are six million rural mail boxes in the United States and during a twelve-month period only twelve were robbed. The battered rural mail box on a wagon wheel or the neat box all dressed up with key and such, becomes the symbol of the honor system in this country.

The tobacco market opened in South Carolina Tuesday of this week. Border belt farmers anticipated a crop of 48,125,000 pounds, 48 per cent. below 1939. South Carolina markets are Mullins, Kingsport, Loris, Lake City, Dillon, Conway, Darlington, Pamplico and Timmonsville. The North Carolina markets in the border belt are Chadbourn, Clarkston, Fair Bluff, Fairmont, Lumberton, Tobor City and Whiteville.

At its last meeting the city council of Statesboro assented to an ordinance regulating traffic in its city limits. It is a good one, covering more than twenty-three type written pages.

But in its final analysis this ordinance is not one bit better than the degree to which it is enforced. Parking ordinances, speed ordinances, and other ordinances have been tried but to no avail because they were not enforced.

This new ordinance covers every phase of traffic that its drafters could think of and then they called expert traffic authorities and patterned the finished ordinance after that of a city which has been successful in handling its traffic problems.

One section of the ordinance specifies that the speed limit in all sections of the city shall not exceed twenty-five miles per hour. If this one section alone is enforced the council will have been justifying its existence.

fed in passing, the entire ordinance. A twenty-five-mile an hour limit has proved successful and workable in the city of Atlanta and conditions here are not so different that it would not work in Statesboro. Let the ordinance apply to one and all with the enforcement authorities showing no partiality and in a very short time the citizens of this city need never fear for their safety.

Other sections of the ordinance defines the right-of-way, pedestrians rights, parking regulations, and right turns on the red lights. It sets the penalty for violation at not more than \$200 or not more than ninety days on the streets, either or both.

In order that the ordinance be worth the paper upon which it is written it must be enforced, and to avoid misunderstanding with the enforcement officers it would be well to comply with the rules and regulations as set forth in it.

MAKE UP YOUR MIND AND VOTE!

In the last five days you have heard three of the candidates for governor of this great state speak. Every day some friend of yours hands you a card soliciting your support and vote for some candidate for a state or local office.

You are being made aware in the local and daily newspapers that you are approaching an important primary September 11.

And because we are too many people in the state to assemble and discuss the state's problems and because we are preoccupied with making a living we have to have officials to work our governmental machinery and the responsibility of selecting these officials is ours.

Shall we elect good ones or poor ones?

When we have a grievous pain in our stomach we go to a doctor and we leave to him what is to be done to relieve our pain. When we are arrested and employ a lawyer we leave our cases in his hands. In other words, we are steadily becoming more accustomed to the use of experts; we are learning to trust them. We have an elaborate educational system for the expressed purpose of conducting research and training experts. We are seeing the value of the expert in more and more fields. But we still hold to the simple notion that anybody can run such a complicated affair as our government. We still hold that the governmental offices should be open to all who can win an election, no matter who they are. And we get bundling all along the line. Leaders should be picked to run our government—leaders characterized by undefeatable determination, a prophet's vision, a well informed mind and sympathy.

We need this now as much as at any period in our state history. And if every time a race were run the best man won, little by little, steadily and surely the quality of our government would improve.

With the ballot before you September 11, vote as you think, don't think as you vote. Thought and opinion should come first—then vote accordingly. Some people vote from prejudice and then think up good reasons for having voted as they did. But before voters can think they must have information—complete, accurate information; then discussion; then decision and the ballot.

Do not allow the opinion of the crowd to sway you; do not throw away your vote; examine your self for prejudice, and, if you have any, then make allowances for your prejudices when you make up your mind. And when you have made up your mind, VOTE!

With Other Editors . . .

DAILY PROOF

If one doubts the seriousness of the feat that a defeat of England will mean the United States must take up the task of defeating Hitler, let him consult himself.

If he is like most of the other Americans, he can hardly wait to read the daily newspaper and find out what is taking place, and he listens to several radio news broadcasts each day.

Hardly a day passes that the majority of the thinking and the average American is not devoted to war and to the hope that England can win.

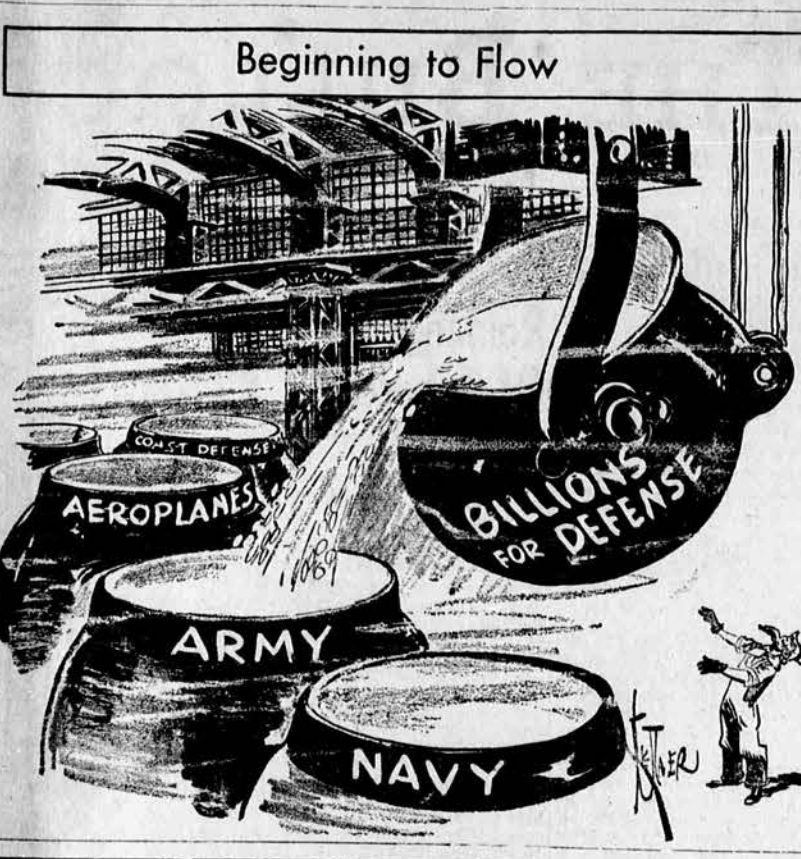
In the face of such daily proof, one needs no longer question that the defeat of England will place a costly and sacrificial burden on our own nation.—Waycross Journal-Herald.

Words Of Wisdom . . .

Universally, the better gold the worse man. The political economist defines us to show any gold mine country that is traversed by good roads, or a shore where pearls are found on which good schools are erected.—Emerson.

There is no man who has not some interesting association with particular scenes, or books, or who does not feel their beauty or sublimity enhanced to him by such connections.—Sir A. Allon.

We should reflect that whatever tempts the pride and vanity of ambitious persons is not so big as the smallest star which we see scattered in disorder and unregarded on the pavement of heaven.—Jeremy Taylor.



THE EDITOR'S UNEASY CHAIR.. FARM BRIEFS

THE ALMANAC SAYS THE WEATHER THIS WEEK ON

TODAY, THURSDAY, AUG. 22, CLEAR AND WARM.
FRIDAY, AUG. 23, CLEAR AND WARM.
SATURDAY, AUG. 24, THUNDERSTORMS.
SUNDAY, AUG. 25, SCATTERED THUNDERSTORMS. MOON

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MONDAY, AUG. 26, CLEAR AND PLEASANT.
TUESDAY, AUG. 27, CLEAR AND PLEASANT.
WEDNESDAY, AUG. 28, STORMY.

BUT DON'T BLAME US IF THE ALMANAC IS WRONG.

IT'S AN ILL WIND THAT DOES THE HARM. A lack-nimble dive for each mouthful of food.

WE TALKED TO A NUMBER Drink hot coffee while balancing a plate on your knee; Keep the end of your tie out of hands from those who enjoy the

of the month, whose crops are completely damaged and his roof blown from over his head and his favorite pear tree bare of its fruit.

BEEN TO A BUFFET? Here a buffet—hope aimed at all hostesses who delight in them as the "easy-way-out." Selected from our shelf of exchanges is the following:

LET'S HAVE A SHOW OF hands from these who enjoy the lunch, commonly called a buffet. If your hand is raised, you are as able to

Hold two plates, your own and that of your dinner partner, find means of conveying food from the table to the plates.

Control your temper when your companion sends you back for an extra olive.

Keep your chest in, chin out (if this is possible, some other way to watch your way to watch your self must be devised).

Sit crossed-legged on the floor when there is a full house and do not

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Mrs. Ramsey was born and reared at Watersville, Bulloch county, and was the eldest daughter of Thomas H. Waters and Anna Sophronia Brannen Waters.

She attended her first school at Brannen institute, later the first school at Brooklet and was the first girl to register at the District Agricultural college here in Statesboro. She continued her education at the Georgia Normal college in Athens and Bessie Tift college. For three years she taught school here in Bulloch county before she married Bert H. Ramsey on Aug. 28, 1913, at which time she was teaching at Register.

Mrs. Ramsey's pride is centered in her three sons, Talmadge Holmes Ramsey, president of the local Junior Chamber of Commerce and associated with Donald-Smith Clothing company; Bert H. Ramsey, Jr., a student at the University of Georgia; and William Thomas ("Tiny") Ramsey, student at Middle Georgia college. Mrs. Ramsey's interest has been centered in civic advancement as indicated by the offices held in civic organizations. For two terms (1935-36 and 1936-37) president of the Woman's club, it was during second term that the new home of that organization was built and during her administration that the club won the \$500 prize in the Georgia Power company electric contest, or three years, 1927-1930, she served as secretary of the first District Parent-Teacher association in the school year 1929-30 she was president of the Statesboro P.T.A. She was the first chairman of the Statesboro Garden club and has been active part in the beautifying of the park on North Main street in connection with the Baptist church and the Central park on Savannah avenue.

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In The News

15 Years Ago

(Thursday, August 20, 1925)

That Bulloch county farmers are ranging well among the best in the production of tobacco was fully shown in the Matter tobacco market last week when Messrs. R. J. Kennedy, W. T. Brown and E. G. Cromartie won the cash prize of \$10 for the sale of the highest average price of a lot of 50 to 1,000 pounds on that market. The lot weighed 600 pounds and the price paid was \$158.60 and averaged 26.43 per pound.

Bulloch county has gone actively into the growing of tobacco this year for the first time on a considerable scale. E. G. Cromartie, who formerly grew tobacco in Jeff Davis county, took over the supervision of a large number of crops, and it is a compliment to him as well as the local growers that it was one of his lots that won the prize at Matter in competition with growers of long experience.

The local cotton market looked like old times here this week. Last Saturday more than 300 bales were weighed at the two local warehouses besides more than fifty bales delivered to the co-operative association direct to the railroad without passing through the warehouses.

Willie Hart, aged 22 years, was instantly killed in the machinery of Shearouse's mill at Brooklet Monday when his clothing caught upon a revolving pulley and horribly mangled his body. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hart and was married.

10 Years Ago

(Thursday, August 21, 1930)

Statesboro tobacco market came to the end of the third week of the season with a total of \$70,878 pounds for the week and an average price of \$9.50 per hundred pounds. The poundage of the week was greater than that on ten other markets in Georgia and the price was in advance of several other markets. The average price in all markets last week was 9.68.

On Aug. 13 the Register Community Fair association met and elected officers for the year 1930. Mr. W. D. Davis was elected president. The following were elected: Lester Akins, president; Carl Hodges, vice-president; Les Brannen, secretary; Mrs. J. M. Pullen, treasurer; J. B. Pullen, general director.

The vocational agricultural boys of the Register Community are members of the Georgia Cotton Growers' Co-operative association and at the school Saturday afternoon, Aug. 16, for the purpose of setting their gins and laying plans for a pure seed association.

The wedding took place Monday afternoon, Aug. 12, at the Baptist parsonage in Greenwood, S. C., the bride and groom were the Rev. W. H. Beis.

This bride is the daughter of Mrs. R. J. Turner, of South Carolina. She was a member of the Brooklet High school faculty for three years.

The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. White. He is now associated with Lannie Simmons, of Statesboro.

For the present Mr. and Mrs. White are living with the groom's parents.

5 Years Ago

(Thursday, August 22, 1935)

Sales on the local tobacco market have passed the three million mark, which is far in excess of last season's sales, and better than was hoped for at the outset by the local men. Not only have the receipts held up well but prices also have been a source of extreme satisfaction.

Statesboro city schools will open on Monday, Sept. 2, according to the announcement authorized by R. M. Monts, superintendent.

The Bulloch County Singing convention met at Bethlehem church, three and one-half miles west of Statesboro, on Sunday, Aug. 25.

The Jimp Community club met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. J. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hodges announced the birth of a son Aug. 18. Mrs. Hodges will be remembered as Miss Eula Mae Cartledge.

One of the greatest mistakes white men made when they spread over this country with its continental climate was to do a poor job with grass. We plowed up millions of acres of grassland; we overgrazed millions of other acres.—Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace.

Denmark News

Mrs. Zedna DeLoach spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas DeLoach in Statesboro. J. Foy Lee visited his cousin, Dorman DeLoach, last week.

Mrs. H. O. Waters is spending a while with her brother, Daniel Anderson, and Mrs. Anderson near Claxton.

Miss Elise Waters spent Thursday with Mrs. Robert Aldrich.

Mrs. Corine Grissetto and Mrs. Robert Aldrich spent Wednesday with Mrs. R. S. Aldrich.

Mrs. Perry Akins and little daughter, of Savannah, visited Mrs. G. E. Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Akins Wednesday.

Miss Kathleen Lanier, of Savannah, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lanier.

Mrs. Roscoe Roberts and children, Mrs. J. C. Buie visited Mrs. Irwin Williams Thursday.

Mrs. J. C. Ennis and Miss Marie Jones, of Smithville, N. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffin.

Mrs. J. D. Lanier, Jr., and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Zedna DeLoach.

Dent Simmons, of Savannah, spent the week-end with Mrs. R. T. Simmons and family.

Miss Audrey Mae DeLoach, of Savannah, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. DeLoach.

Mrs. Zedna DeLoach spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Harville.

Mrs. Lee McCoy and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aldrich Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wells and family, Mrs. Lottie Faircloth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Boyett.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Hood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Royals, Harville Joy Hood were last week-end

Brooklet News

By MRS. JOHN A. ROBERTSON

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hatcher, Miss Martha Lee Hatcher and Bud Hatcher, of Beaufort, S. C., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bland.

Glenn Harper, of Waycross, spent the week-end here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Cromley.

Mrs. Harper, who had spent two weeks here.

Mr. W. D. Parrish has returned from Ocala, Fla.

Herman Simon has gone to Milton to be manager of a gin recently purchased by his father, J. L. Simon.

Mrs. W. D. Lee is visiting her mother in Hinesville.

Mrs. P. R. Lewis, of Statesboro, and Paul R. Lewis, of Atlanta, visited friends here during the week-end.

Turner-White Cordial interest centers here in the announcement of the marriage of Miss Amelia Turner, of Ninety-six, S. C., and Dock White, of Brooklet.

The wedding took place Monday afternoon, Aug. 12, at the Baptist parsonage in Greenwood, S. C., the bride and groom were the Rev. W. H. Beis.

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The bride entered with her brother, Fred Shearouse, of Savannah, by whom she was given in marriage. Her wedding gown was white lace over satin. Her veil of illusion tulle fell from a tiara of orange blossoms. She carried a white Bible with a shower bouquet of white gardenias and valley lilies.

The bride was met at the altar by the groom and his best man, William Hummick, of Atlanta. Immediately after the ceremony a lovely reception was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Watkins.

Punch was served on the lawn by Miss Martha Robertson, Miss Emily Cromley, Miss Dorothy Cromley, Miss Jane Watkins, Miss Joyce Parrish, of Port; Miss Shirley Shearouse, of Savannah; Miss Doris Parrish, Miss Elise Williams, Miss Juanita Wyatt, Miss Emily Cromley, Mrs. Doris Smith of Atlanta; Mrs. J. W. Robertson, Jr. and Mrs. C. S. Cromley.

Cream and cake, arranged by Mrs. W. C. Cromley, Mrs. J. W. Robertson, Sr., Mrs. J. M. Williams, Mrs. D. L. Alderman and Mrs. Felix Parrish, were served by Mrs. T. R. Bryan, Jr., Mrs. Robert Kingery, of Statesboro; Mrs. Paul Robertson, of Albany; Mrs. John Johnson, of Statesboro; Miss Margaret Massey, of Atlanta; Miss Mildred Cross, of Indianapolis, and Miss Mary Ellen Treadwell, of Texas.

Mrs. Watkins was assisted by Mrs. Fred Shearouse, of Savannah.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Cottle left by motor for a

Nevils News

NEVILLS V.R.C. CLOSES

The Nevills Vacation Readers club closed Saturday afternoon with Miss Maude White, the director, in charge of the story hour.

Miss White told the much-loved story of "Snip, Snip, Snip and the Red Shoes." Mrs. Johnnie Martin, Mrs. Leland Haygood and Mrs. Charles Hodges were the visiting guests. Candles were served by the hospitality committee. Many of the reading reports were brought in, although there are others yet to be reported.

Miss White is earnestly urging all members to return all books in their possession and to make their reports immediately in order to get state recognition in the form of a certificate. These certificates

will be applied for in the near future. Your reading report will determine the type of certificate you are entitled to. Be prompt in getting your report to Miss White.

There is a series of moving picture shows to be at Nevills each Friday night. These shows have been very well attended. The public is cordially invited to attend. These shows are sponsored by the new Methodist church of Nevills. Your attendance will be appreciated.

Much tobacco from this section is now being marketed. The farmers seem to be pretty well satisfied with the selling price at present—If it continues to be so good, there is much work and money involved in growing tobacco and unless a good price is paid for it, the farmers feel that their efforts are not worth while. Each farmer seems to be getting a pretty fair

to her home in Locustburg, N. C., after visiting Mr. John A. Robertson.

Mrs. Fred Kennedy, of Statesboro, spent Thursday with Mrs. Raymond Hodges and Charlie Hodges were business visitors in Savannah Monday.

Cobb & Foxhall Warehouses

For The Sale of Leaf Tobacco

Statesboro, Georgia

The Statesboro Tobacco Market has completed its second week of sales and we want you to know that Cobb & Foxhall are, as usual, paying the HIGH DOLLAR.

We give below a few of our sales:

ERNEST NESMITH—

Pounds	Price	Amount
192	30	\$ 57.60
216	27	58.32
186	26	48.36
262	26	68.12
150	25	37.50
144	26	37.44
534	25	133.50
1,684		\$442.34

H. H. GODBEE—

Pounds	Price	Amount
180	27	\$ 48.60
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154	27	41.58
320	26	83.20
322	25	80.50
182	23	41.86
152	19 1/2	29.64
1,490		\$373.98

SHEPPARD'S Warehouse

Statesboro, Georgia

Sell the remainder of your tobacco at the best place to sell tobacco in Georgia . . . We have plenty room and can sell your tobacco quick from now until the end of the season.

BELOW ARE A FEW OF OUR MANY GOOD SALES:

T. R. BRYAN & SON, Brooklet—

Pounds	Price	Amount
186	30	\$ 55.80
168	30	50.40
186	29	53.94
180	29	52.20
180	28	50.40
188	28	52.64
332	28	64.96
200	28	56.00
178	28	49.84
186	28	52.08
214	28	59.92
220	27	59.40
160	27	43.20
172	27	46.44
194	27	52.38
256	27	69.12
3,200		\$868.72
Average 27.14		

J. W. ROBERTSON, Brooklet—

Pounds	Price	Amount
212	28	\$ 59.36
336	28	66.08
206	28	57.68
174	27	46.98
166	27	44.82
200	25	50.00
184	25	46.00
1,478		\$370.92
Average 25.09		

JOE EVANS & M. Collins—

Pounds	Price	Amount
166	28	\$ 46.48
176	28	49.28
238	28	66.64
186	27	50.22
188	27	50.76
228	27	61.56
156	27	42.12
228	27	61.56
166	27	44.82
158	26	41.08
132	26	34.32
2,022		\$548.84
Average 27.14		

J. C. EDWARDS, Ellabelle—

Pounds	Price	Amount
224	28	\$ 62.72
240	28	67.20
170	28	47.60
100	18	18.00
734		\$195.52
Average 26.63		

W. W. WALLACE, Register—

Pounds	Price	Amount
342	28	\$ 95.76
188	27	50.76
210	26	54.60
242	26	62.92
238	25	59.50
1,220		\$323.54
Average 26.52		

J. I. DURRANCE, Glennville—

Pounds	Price	Amount
166	27	\$ 44.82
202	27	54.54
188	27	50.76
178	27	48.06
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190	27	51.30
136	27	36.72
152	27	41.04
154	26	40.04
176	26	45.76
196	26	51.48
154	26	40.04
160	25	40.00
184	25	46.00
2,836		\$746.44
Average 26.32		

W. M. BEASLEY, Claxton—

Pounds	Price	Amount
172	27	\$ 46.44
168	27	45.36
90	27	24.30
152	26	39.52
154	26	40.04
140	26	36.40
152	25	38.00
1,028		\$270.06
Average 26.26		

Sell your tobacco where it looks better and sells higher. We have the only scientifically lighted house in this part of the Tobacco Belt.

Our light, plus experience, ability and hard work on sales, is your guarantee for more money for your tobacco. Give us a trial with your next load and let us prove to you we can get you more money for the remainder of your tobacco.

We are buying scrap, so bring in your floor sweepings next week with your last tobacco. Pick the strings and damage out of it. If you are not already selling with us bring us your next load and join the throngs of hundreds of highly satisfied customers selling with us.

Bob Sheppard

SHEPPARD'S WAREHOUSE

Statesboro, Georgia

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Mass Meeting Called To Study State Defense

A mass meeting has been called for tomorrow night at the court house at 8 o'clock for the purpose of studying the organization, purposes and duties of the State Defense Corps being organized here. District Commander Thad J. Morris will be present to answer any and all questions that may come up and will lead the discussions.

Mr. Morris, at a meeting of the advisory committee Monday afternoon, explained that the local unit of the State Defense Corps will consist of approximately thirty men (one enlisted man for each thousand population in the county). The local unit will be made up of two commissioned officers, Capt. C. E. Layton and First Lieut. E. L. Poindexter; and twenty-six enlisted men including one first sergeant one line sergeant, two corporals and twenty-two privates.

Capt. Layton is now accepting applications for enlistment. Only men over 35 years of age may apply for enlistment.

District Commander Morris states that they want it thorough understood that enlistment in the State Defense Corps is purely voluntary—it is not compulsory nor is there any set length of service and that a man may resign at any time after he enlists. The corps will have no police power at all and its members will do no drilling. Its training will consist of meetings at intervals to be determined at which meetings defense methods will be studied.

Every person in Bulloch county is urged to attend this mass meeting because it is important to the future welfare of this country.

4-H CLUB PICNIC HELD AT GEORGIA TEACHERS COLLEGE

Following the thirty-minute song service, led by Ronald J. Neil, head of the college music department, the club members played fire in the mountains, Chinese get-up, ball race and other fun-making games.

Lamar Trappnell and Martha Rose Bowen gave reports on the leadership conference held during Farm & Home week in Athens. The entire group were swimming in the college pool.

Averitts Lease Auto Showroom

Averitt Brothers Auto company, a partnership composed of D. Percy Averitt, J. B. Averitt, of Statesboro, and H. W. Averitt, of Millen, have today leased to the Franklin Chevrolet company, local Chevrolet dealers, their office, showroom, shop and used car lot.

The Franklin Chevrolet company will take over this property on Sept. 15, and will also take over Pontiac parts stock and tools for the purpose of rendering service to Pontiac owners.

The Averitt firm has been handling automobiles since 1906, have been located in a part of the building which they are now leasing, since 1911. This property was previously owned by the Bank of Statesboro until 1933 when it was bought by Averitt Brothers.

Averitt Brothers will move their office to the In-and-Out Filling station building and will continue in business until they have disposed of their present new and used car stock. This change is necessary due to the fact that B. B. Averitt, an officer in the National Guard, will probably be called to active duty within the very near future for an indefinite period of service.

Percy Averitt, the first of the brothers to enter the automobile trade, had the first automobile (two-cylinder Ford) in Bulloch county, also was the first gasoline dealer in Bulloch county, at which time five barrels was an enormous stock to have on hand at one time.

During the past thirty-two years Averitt Brothers have been agents for Geo. Buick, 490 Chevrolet, Oakland, Oldsmobile, Chevrolet, Pontiac and GMC trucks.

Averitt Brothers will continue to operate the In-and-Out Filling station and Averitt Motor company (Ford agency), Millen.

The Franklin Chevrolet company has been operating temporarily on East Main street.

Statesboro Schools Open September 2

Complete Faculty Announced By Superintendent Sherman

VISITS ROTARIANS



J. Cleve Allen

J. CLEVE ALLEN, of Elberton, district governor of the Georgia district of Rotary International, will address the Statesboro Rotary club here Monday of next week. This is Mr. Allen's official visit to the local club. Monday night Mr. Allen will meet with Everett Williams, president of the Statesboro club and the chairman of all the local committees, for the club assembly.

UGF Urges Pecan Aid

The some 400 members of the United Georgia Farmers present at the regular meeting Friday adopted a resolution urging the senators, congressmen and others to continue their efforts in procuring aid for the damage done to the pecan crop in Bulloch county by the recent storm. The resolution also asked the investigators survey the damage to the turpentine timber.

Those present were advised that an investigation was under way on the damage to the pecan crop and that several federal agencies had been asked to co-operate in aiding those affected by the storm.

The body also passed a resolution asking that a rural telephone system be established comparable to REA, which would give farmers an adequate service at low cost. So far as is known this is the first effort in the country for such a project.

The one-variety committee reported that farmers with 4-in-1 seed could get their cotton any time at Brooklet, at either Simon's or Alderman's gin, and the seed could be kept pure. J. L. Simon and D. L. Alderman, operators of these two gins, agreed to store the seed for the farmers and even advance them some money on the planting seed where necessary.

M. M. Rushing reported that he would start gin days on Sept. 2 for the one-variety cotton. The committee from Statesboro reported that seed could be saved any day at oys or Brannen & Smith gins.

Two educational pictures, "The Negro Farmer" and "The War in Europe," were shown in connection with the program.

WOMAN'S CLUB HOME HAS NEW VENETIAN BLINDS

The Woman's Club home on Fair road, has been recently painted and new Venetian blinds have been placed in all the windows.

WARNOCK SCHOOL TO OPEN ON SEPTEMBER 6

According to an announcement made by the board of trustees, the Warnock school will open for the fall term of the new school year Friday, Sept. 6.

It was announced that a work day will be held Thursday, Sept. 5, and all patrons of the school are requested and urged to co-operate and come to the school prepared to work at 8 o'clock Thursday morning, Sept. 5.

The Statesboro public schools will open for the fall term Monday, Sept. 2, according to an announcement made this week by Supt. S. H. Sherman.

Registration of high school students will take place all day Monday. Supt. Sherman stated that a small registration fee will be charged as in the past for "needy funds for needy pupils."

The revised faculty for the city schools includes six new teachers, and is as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL:
Woodrow Powell—Principal.
Miss Nan Huckabee—Algebra.
B. A. Johnson—Mathematics.
Miss Mary Lou Carmichael—History.
C. C. Williams—History and coach of athletics.
B. B. Williams—Science.
Miss Brooks Grimes—Foreign languages.
Miss Mary Zena Baker—Home economics.
Miss Charlotte Howard—Commercial.
Miss Mary Castleberry—Librarian.
Mrs. Leslie Johnson—Public music.
Mrs. Verdie Lee Hilliard—Piano music.
Marion Carpenter—Instrumental music.
Mrs. J. O. Johnston—Speech and dramatics.

Miss Mary Jones Kennedy—Assistant to the principal.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS:
Miss Mattie Lively and Miss Bertha Hagin—First grade.
Miss Reta Lindsey and Miss Mary Hogan—Second grade.
Miss Dorothy Brannen and Miss Bessie Martin—Third grade.
Miss Armine Davis and Miss Helen Bowen—Fourth grade.
Miss Nell Collins and Miss Hazel Watson—Fifth grade.
Miss Sallie Zetterover and Miss Sallie Mae Prime—Sixth grade.
Miss Junnie New and Miss J. Trapp—Seventh grade.

The six new teachers are C. C. Williams, Woodrow Powell and Miss Mary Zena Baker, of the high school, and Miss Bessie Martin, Miss Helen Bowen and Miss Armine Davis, of the elementary school.

C. C. WILLIAMS NEW COACH OF S.H.S. BLUE DEVILS

S. H. Sherman, superintendent of the Statesboro public schools, today that C. C. Williams will succeed B. A. Johnson as athletic coach of the Statesboro schools. Mr. Johnson continues on the faculty but will devote his entire time to his coaching.

Mr. Williams comes here a graduate of the University of Georgia where he played tackle on the Bulldog varsity for three years and was a member of the freshman coaching staff. He graduated from Georgia with a major in physical education and a minor in social science. His home is in Athens.

It is expected that the Blue Devils will have a good team this year. Prospects look good. Coach Williams will be here this week and give the Blue Devils the once over before school opens.

MRS. ELIZABETH RIGGS DIES AT THE HOME OF HER DAUGHTER

Mrs. Elizabeth Riggs, age 82, well-known to the community, died on the night of Aug. 21, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. V. Blackburn, in the Westside community after an illness of several months. Funeral services were held Friday morning from Bethlehem church with Elder A. E. Temple in charge of the services. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Riggs is survived by three sons, Steve J. Riggs, A. T. Riggs and Dan N. Riggs, all of Bulloch county, and one daughter, Mrs. A. V. Blackburn, of Statesboro. Lillian's mortuary was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

WATCH YOUR BALLOT!

Bulloch county voters who expect to participate in the September primary have been cautioned by the democratic executive committee to watch for the name or names of candidates who have dropped out of the race.

Ballots for the primary were printed some time ago in order that ballots may be mailed to absentee voters. It is possible that some of the names of candidates who have dropped out of the race may be on the ballots. The present ballot carries the name of Hugh Howell for governor. Mr. Howell has withdrawn from the race and according to the committee it would be wise for the voter to first scratch the name of Hugh Howell. Should the name of Mr. Howell be left unscratched the voter would lose his vote for governor.

Statesboro Tobacco Mart Closes Friday

With sales amounting to 4,606, 218 pounds of tobacco for \$668, 150.83, an average of \$14.72 for the season, the Statesboro tobacco market drew near to the final curtain last night with the figures complete except for one day's sales of one warehouse.

The season's average of \$14.72 is up as compared with the 1939 average of \$12.72.

Having almost reached a tonnage of 5,000,000 pounds, the local market comes to a close after one of the most orderly conducted seasons since the establishment of the market.

The warehousemen stated that the market exceeded their expectations and complimented the growers for their co-operation.

They point out that the warehouses will be closed Friday and state that they have a number of bills of sales left in their offices uncalled for. The bookkeepers say that if there are not cleared out by tonight (Thursday) that it will be necessary that they wait for some time before they will be able to give them special handling after they leave Statesboro.

The very every grower who left a bill in their office to call for it today.

COUNTY SCHOOLS TO SET OPENING DATES

H. P. Womack, county school superintendent, announced this week that each community in the county will set its school opening date.

The decision was made at a call meeting of the county board held in Statesboro.

FAT STOCK SHOW BULLOCH FARMERS SET FOR APRIL 3

The date for the Statesboro fat stock show was set for April 3 by the Bulloch Farmers Association and to Georgia Press Association and to Georgia Press Association and to Georgia Press Association.

The board of directors that are asking for the charter are W. C. Hodges, L. J. Swinson, M. M. Riggs, L. E. Smith and John H. Brannen.

The farmers present stated that the purposes of the organization were to engage in any activity in connection with the producing, harvesting, assembling, storing, processing, financing, transporting and marketing of any agricultural products, delivered to it by producers, or any of its products manufactured therefrom; or in connection with the purchase, lease and/or sale by and/or for its members of supplies, machinery, land, building, and/or equipment.

The organization meeting of the board will be held Friday afternoon. It is anticipated that one of the major projects the co-operative will carry on at the present is the selling of hogs and cattle each Monday of the week starting May 1 and Claxton's on March 12.

JIM COLEMAN ADDRESSES STATE PRESS ASSOCIATION

Jim Coleman, advertising director of the Bulloch Herald, addressed the Georgia Press association on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 22, at Macon on the subject, "Getting Ideas from Advertising Services."

Mr. Coleman pointed out the advantages an enterprising advertiser has in any of the advertising services offered. He pointed out that with the proper use of a service a newspaper could increase their advertising to a considerable degree.

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A feature of the program will be the showing of the picture, "The Negro Farmer," which shows how various negro families are improving their living conditions and carrying special music by the Tuskegee institute choir.

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Hudson Metts and W. L. Waller are well known here in Statesboro and Bulloch county. They both have been in business here for some time. Both men are experienced grocery store operators. The new store will be known as Metts & Waller.

Herald Wins Hal M. Stanley Trophy For Best Newspaper



LEODEL COLEMAN, editor and publisher of The Bulloch Herald, and Roy McGinty, president of the Georgia Press Association and editor of the Calhoun Times, Calhoun, Ga., shown with the Hal M. Stanley Trophy won by The Bulloch Herald and awarded at the Georgia Press Association convention held in Macon and Savannah Aug. 22-24. The trophy was given to The Bulloch Herald for "its outstanding beauty due to the very neat and harmonious headline system, variety in makeup, and excellent mechanical workmanship and press work."

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Library Serves County Readers

According to a report made by Mrs. Ila Upchurch, field service agent in charge of the Bulloch county bookmobile, she issued 1,811 books and had a circulation of 4,446 books for the month of July.

The report was made at the meeting of the Bulloch County Library board held on Friday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Fred Hodges, chairman, in charge.

R. L. Renfro reported that the negro branch of the library was progressing. Nan Edith Jones, librarian, reported that 265 books had been repaired since last month and that 1,399 people had visited the library during the past four weeks.

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